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NATIONAL AMATEUR RUGBY LEAGUE

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MILLOM R.L.F.C.
V
HEWORTH R.L.F.C.
(YORK)

at
Devonshire Road, Millom
on
Saturday 4th October 1986

KICK OFF: 2.30 p.m.
ADMISSION: ***50p***

PROGRAMME: ***30p***

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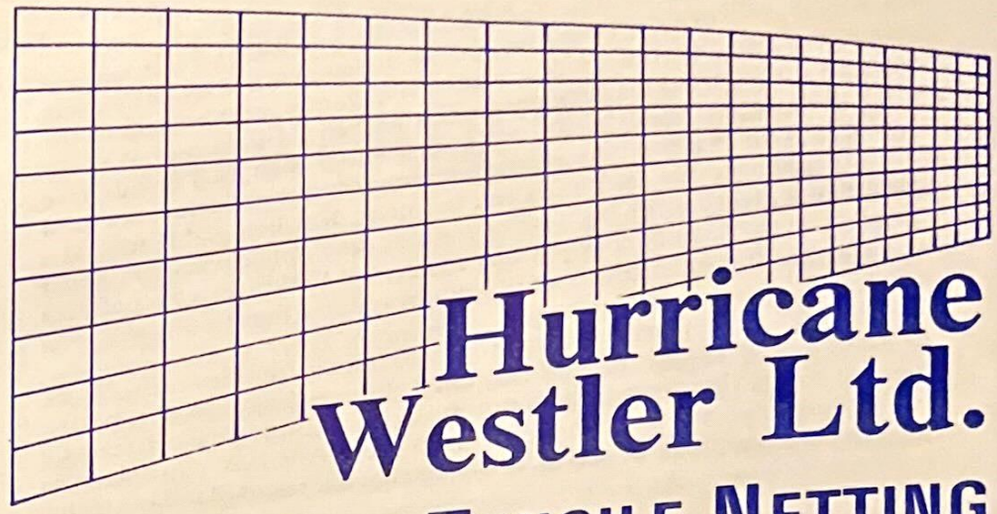

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Chairmans Report

When will our luck change (or did we use it all up in last seasons B.A.R.L.A. cup draw). That must be the question asked by our players and supporters. With only one win in five games, and bottom of the league, a position that is very unfamiliar with the Millom club. We have yet to play a team that (in our opinion) is better than us. The lads have played as well, or if not better than last season but the ball does not seem to be running in our favour at the moment. Not being able to field a settled team every week because of injuries does not help matters, and it does not make the coaches job any easier, but Ceddy feels as confident as I do that this position is only temporary and that results will soon improve.

We extend a very warm welcome today to our visitors Heworth of York on their first ever visit to Millom. They come as league leaders having won all five of their games. It is not the first meeting of the two teams, a few seasons ago we went to Heworth in the B.A.R.L.A. cup only to be beaten by a couple of points. Let's hope that the result of today's match is in our favour.

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Our Visitors Today

HEWORTH R.L.F.C.

Our visitors today have crossed the Pennines from York and come to Millom with a very impressive record being unbeaten leaders of the National League.

In the last 5 years they have not finished below 5th and have been champions for 3 years running in the Yorkshire League Premier Division.

They are the current Yorkshire Senior League Cup Champions and have been involved in the County U21 Cups and Top 4 Playoffs for the last 4 seasons.

They have Yorkshire County Players in Ian Ellis and Andrew Mercer, and number many former famous players from their club.

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Pen Pic Special Feature

GRAHAM (Dumpy) LUPTON - No. 8 Foward

First played for Millom in 1972 aged 16, "Ceddy" and P. Evans took delight in teaching "Dumpy" the finer arts of the game. He just missed out on the Hanslet game, but he made the team for the J.P. 1st round game against Castleford in 1973.
A regular 1st team player for seven seasons, collecting numerous trophies for Club and County. The pinnacle of his career when he made his International debut against France in 1979. He signed for Barrow soon afterwards and gained a regular 1st team place in the pro. game.
In 1983 tragedy struck when he was crushed in a work accident which would have killed lesser people. He fought back from the brink of death, but rugby was still in his blood. He coached the "A" team for a full season, winning the league and Cup. He started training and found the old yearning and back out came the boots. After one appearance in the "A" team, 85-86, he regained his 1st team place and became a regular for the rest of the season.
"Ceddy" started to build a team around him culminating at the end of last season, with the B.A.R.L.A. Cup final, to which "Dumpy" was very disappointed at losing.
With only a few team points "Dumpy" has shone in the league after picking up two "Man of the Match" awards in succession and was also featured in the National League team of the month.
He likes Crown Green Bowling and all outdoor sports, dislikes smoking, losing and nagging wives. Married to Peggy with three up and coming rugby players, Paul, Graham and Peter (Geaky).

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Club History

Founded	1873	
Ground	DEVONSHIRE ROAD, MILLOM	
Colours	MAROON/WHITE	
Club Honours	1873 - 1980	Too numerous to mention.
	1980 - 1986	CUMBRIA LEAGUE CHAMPIONS 1981/82
		BARROW LEAGUE CHAMPIONS 1982/83, 83/84, 85/86
		BARROW CUP WINNERS 1981/82, 82/83, /85/86
		BARLA NATIONAL TROPHY RUNNERS UP 1985/86
		LANCASHIRE CUP CHAMPIONS 1979/80

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In the 113 year history, Millom R.L.F.C. have long been recognised as a leading name in Rugby League. Being the oldest club in the world, Millom have a few records under their belt, a few being; the only club to field 12 players for the Cumberland team who played Yorkshire on 5 Feb. 1889 at Hunslet, the only club to field 5 players to play for Great Britain against Papua New Guinea in season 1979/80 at Hull, and the only club to play a record 8 times in the Rugby League Challenge Cup.
Over 20 players have been awarded full international honours since 1945 playing over 50 internationals between them, and a numerous amount have played for both county and inter-league teams.
1978/79 saw a Cumbria first for Millom, when Peter Knowles was awarded the B.A.R.L.A. Player of the Year Award and last season saw yet another county first when Millom became the first Cumbrian club to play in the B.A.R.L.A. National Trophy final at Headingley on 25 May 1986, unfortunately going down eventually to Mysons R.L.F.C. of Hull.
Our coach, Ron Jackson (himself a former captain of the Great Britain team) has done the club proud, last season winning the club no fewer than six trophies and now undertakes a new venture, the conquest of the Slalom Lager National Amateur League.

MILLOM

COLOUR
MAROON/WHITE

TEAM

1. GORDON PARK/STEVE DONALD
2. ROY ROBINSON
3. KEN WILKINSON
4. JIM BAWDEN/TIM HOLMES
5. ANDY DIXON
6. MIKE CAIRNS/CRAIG EVANS
7. MIKE O'BRIEN
8. GRAHAM LUPTON
9. MARK ROSKELL
10. JOHN LUPTON
11. GARRY KELLY
12. DUNCAN EVANS
13. CLIVE MOSSOP
14. GRAHAM EVANS
15. TIM HOLMES/JIM BAWDEN

Coach **RON JACKSON**
Physio **VERNON EDMONDSON**

SCRUMS

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VISITORS

HEWORTH

(YORK)

COLOUR
BLACK/WHITE

TEAM

1. J. KEMP
2. A. TINDALL
3. C. DEETON
4. W. RENNISON
5. N. DOLLING
6. I. ELLIS
7. C. HAMMERTON
8. K. SYKES
9. G. WHATKINSON
10. S. O'GORMAN
11. I. PAVER
12. K. LOFT
13. P. STURDY
14. M. FORSYTH
15. C. FORSYTH

Coach **COLIN FORSYTH**
Physio

RESULT

Half Time ...1-8..... Full Time ...15-8.....

Referee **D. HYOMES** *(Dewsbury)*

Touch Judge *(Red)* **S. FIRTH** *(Dewsbury)* Touch Judge *(Yellow)* **D. KENNY** *(Dewsbury)*

A special welcome today for the Chairman of the National Amateur League **MR P.D. KNIGHT**

SCRUMS

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Slalom Lager National League

FIXTURES

AUG 30	Millom v Woolston (Warrington)
SEPT 6	Milford (Leeds) v Millom.
SEPT 13	West Hull (Hull) v Millom
SEPT 20	Millom v Dudley Hill (Bradford)
SEPT 27	Pilkington (St Helens) v Millom
OCT 4	Millom v Heworth (York)
OCT 11	County Cup last 16
NOV 1	Millom v Leigh Miners (Leigh)
NOV 8	Inter League 2nd Rd.
NOV 15	St Patricks (Wigan) v Millom
NOV 22	Inter League 3rd Rd.
NOV 29	Millom v St Patricks (Wigan)
DEC 6	Leigh Miners v Millom
DEC 13	Millom v Egremont (Cumbria)
JAN 17	Egremont v Millom
JAN 24	Millom v Pilkington (St Helens)
FEB 7	Heworth (York) v Millom
FEB 21	Woolston (Warrington) v Millom
MAR 7	BARLA Trophy 4th Rd.
MAR 14	Millom v Milford (Leeds)
MAR 21	BARLA Trophy 5th Rd.
MAR 28	Millom v West Hull
APR 4	BARLA Trophy 6th Rd.
APR 11	Dudley Hill v Millom

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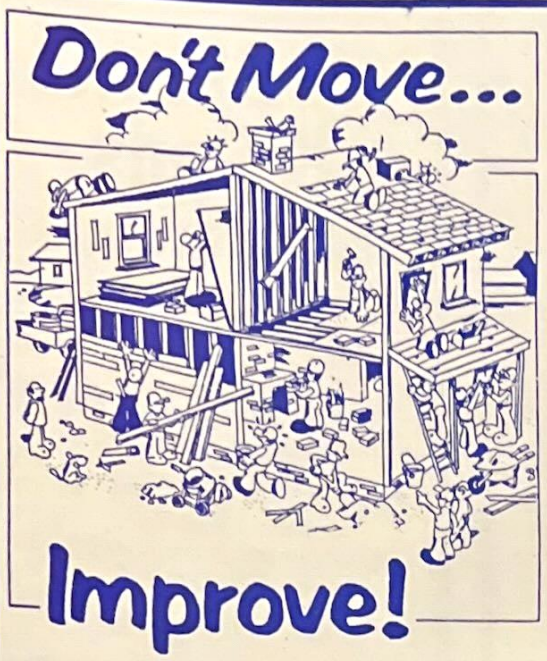

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Andrew Dixon	5					
Steve Donald	4		2	2		
Ken Wilkinson	4	1	2	6		
Roy Robinson	5	2				
Craig Evans	4	1				
Mob O'Brien	5	2				
Dumpy Lupton	5	1				2
Mark Roskell	5					
Biff Mossop	0					
Bob Mitchell	3					
Garry Kelly	5	1				1
Peter Knowles	1					
Clive Mossop	5					
Peter Dawson	1 + 2 Sub					
Taffy Evans	2 + 3 Sub					
Tim Holmes	2 + 2 Sub					
Jim Bawden	1 + 1 Sub					
John Lupton	2 + 2 Sub	1				
Midge Cairns	1					
Duncan Evans	2					

Report on Last Week's Game

PILKINGTON RECS v MILLOM

Millom travelled to St. Helen's to renew old friendships and met a Pilkington team who were beaten the week previous by 22-9 against Woolston.

Millom were hoping to make it their second win but lost by 14-21 after having 70% of the game with tries scored by G. Lupton, Mike O'Brien and Ken Wilkinson, with Wilkinson adding one conversion and hitting the upright with at least 3 drop goal attempts.

With good running by the Lupton brothers and excellent prompting by Clive Mossop and Mike O'Brien, the next win must be just around the corner.

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